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WOLFE COUNTY.

Swango Springs Sayings.

Thos. Clear went to Campton yesterday.

Miss Ethel Word gave us a business call Thursday.

J. F. Cecil, of Grassy, drank Swango water a few days last week.

Harry Cecil, of Grassy, spent Wednesday in this neck o' the woods.

Miss Maud Taulbee, of Daysboro, spent an enjoyable night with Miss Molly Oney Thursday.

Misses Carrie Rose, Ollie Swango and Ella Kash, of Hazel Green, were guests of Miss Nannie Swango Sunday.

Mesdames Josie Swango and Ellen Kash, of Hazel Green, were chatting the women of this place Saturday and Sunday.

Curtis Swango left Monday for Charleston, Ill., where he will be engaged in business with his uncle, A. N. Swango. May the loving hand of the Father, who holds all things, crown his foot-steps with peace and prosperity:

The prayer meeting Saturday night, with Hiram Blankenship as leader, was well attended and much interest manifested. Rev. J. R. Word, of Hazel Green, gave us an encouraging talk, for which we thank him very much. Come again, Bro. Word, and do that "another gin." The next service will be at Uncle Harry Swango's.

We miss you at home, Curtis,
We declare you we miss you at home,
For we feel that the family group is broken
When thinking of you as you roam.

We think of you when we hear
The school-bell's loud clear tone,
For many miss your presence there
As bad as we miss you at home.

And when the week's study and labor is o'er,
And the friends are gathered for prayer,
Oh, yes, there's a chord in the music
That's missed when your voice is not there.

March 8. UNO.

Lee City Lilacs.

Hon. W. H. Taulbee, of Morgan, was in our little village.

Will Shack, of Stillwater, was in town Saturday on business.

John M. Rose, of Hazel Green, was in town Saturday on business.

James Wilson, of Daysboro, was in town Monday on business.

John Patrick, of this place, attended church at Daysboro Sunday.

Born, to the wife of J. R. Carroll, on the 4th inst., a 10 pound girl.

Mrs. Willie Walters was in town last Thurday doing some shopping.

Dink Murphy, the boss cattle buyer, was in town Monday buying cattle.

Willie Walters, of the head of the river, was in town Monday on business.

Ye scribe went to Morgan county Friday in the interest of THE HERALD.

Ye scribe had the pleasure of calling on his friend Cesar Linden, of Gillmore, Sunday last.

Mrs. Calah Caudle, of Caney, Morgan county, was visiting relatives here Monday and Tuesday.

Sebron Walters, of Grassy, was here Saturday challenging the boys for a horse swap.

The school at this place will give an entertainment next Thursday night. All are invited.

James H. Dunn, who is attending school at Hazel Green, came up to see his mama Friday.

Miss Clara Nickell, who is attending school here, was visiting her parents, on Grassy, Saturday and Sunday.

Ellis Johnson and Porter Lacy, of Lacy creek, were in town Thursday, and took dinner with Elder S. H. Taulbee.

Uncle John McQuinn, of Lacy creek, was in town Wednesday, calling on the old timers. Uncle John is about 70 years of age.

Boyd Wells spent Sunday with your correspondent, and subscribed for the grand old HERALD. Boyd says he can't do without it.

Miles Linden and James Wilson passed through town Saturday on their way to Daysboro, to attend the protracted meeting at that place.

The railroad is a sure thing. The surveyors are at work bedding the road, and there is no doubt that the only thing our mountain country lacks to be prosperous will soon be brought into existence. We cannot see why some men are opposed to the only thing that can ever bring prosperity to our mountain homes. Let's unite our forces, encourage the road, and bring our county a blessing; a blessing that will always shine in our mountain homes; a blessing that we can never forget; a blessing we never will regret, and a blessing that is contained in the following words: If you want prosperity to be brought to the world encourage the railroad and subscribe for THE HERALD.

March 7. TUTRIX.

Campton Currency.

County court here today, and a large crowd in attendance.

Harry Combs made a flying trip to Hazel Green Sunday.

Major W. J. Seitz, of West Liberty, was in town the past week, interviewing our merchants.

The residence of Kelley Fulks was destroyed by fire Thursday night. It was insured for $700.

Hon. A. H. Stamper last week visited Winchester, Clay City, Jackson, and other points, in the interest of his candidacy for congress.

Deputy Marshal G. W. Drake returned home Saturday from Perry county, where he had been summoning witnesses in the Farler case. He left Sunday for Jackson, to summon other witnesses in the same case. There are over 100 witnesses in the case.

Editor H. M. Sword, A. H. Stamper, Taylor Tolson and Dr. H. H. Stamper will leave this evening for Louisville, where they have been summoned to testify in behalf of the United States vs. Dan Farler, etc., for the murder of D. U. S. Marshal W. A. Byrd. The case is set for Wednesday, the 9th inst.

A lodge to be known as the "Never Sweats" has been organized at S. S. Combs' store, under the leadership of "Stick" Drake, with 50 members. Whenever a member is proven guilty of doing any kind of manual labor he is immediately dismissed. The lodge meets every night at Combs' store. Isaac W. Combs was unanimously elected secretary, and Elvin Tutt secured the position of doorkeeper. Dr. J. H. Stamper, after a hard fight, was elected to the all important position of county gritter.

Detective Jonas F. Vansant and ex-Jailer T. F. Stamper returned Saturday, having in custody Cradle-toe John Moore, one of the most desperate moonshiners in Eastern Kentucky. Mr. Vansant, W. B. Duff and J. B. Hollon were Moore's bondsmen for his appearance in the U. S. district court at Louisville on the 23d of February, for violating the internal revenue laws. Instead of appearing he left for parts unknown. But Vansant and Stamper captured him in Carter county after a desperate struggle. He will be taken to Louisville this week. Detectives Vansant and Stamper are equal to bloodhounds on the trail of a criminal.

March 7. SUPPLE JACK.

Lane Lilies.

"Stepping" and wife are in good health at this writing.

Taylor P. Sewell paid his parents a visit Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Timothy Terrell has been on the sick list for the past two months.

A. J. Hollon is selling his property, and is going to move next week to Mt. Sterling.

Rev. Taylor preached in the Bailey Field schoolhouse last Sunday to a large audience.

Why does J. R. Elkins sell so many goods? Because he has the right kind of a clerk. One that knows how to make money and one whose beauty cannot be excelled.

Born, to the wife of John Hollon, son of D. B. Hollon, on the 29th ult., a 10 pound boy.

J. T. Graham has abandoned the idea of ever marrying, as he is getting old, feeble and gray-headed.

John Sewell and G. W. King are the only ones that are running for matrimony, so their success is almost a sure thing.

It has been proven beyond the shadow of a doubt, that John King is the laughingest boy that ever walked upon the American soil.

Taylor P. Sewell, who is going to school at Campton, is making rapid progress in his studies, and reports having a fine time debating with the boys.

Master Edward Sewell stayed in the city of Campton last week, being a guest of his sister Florence and brother Ben. Ed is a mixing little fellow and made quite a number of acquaintances while there.

Miss Martha Sewell, who has been at Campton for the past month studying crayon work under her sister, Florence Horton, returned home last Saturday. She has made one picture, and from its appearance we think that she will in a short time be able make some of us fellows look respectable. Hurrah, Martha, I want to be "took."

Two Mormon elders have been in this vicinity for the past week, preaching Mormonism to the people and boarding with those who desire to keep them. During their stay they have found every little house on the hillsides and in the hollows. One night last week they called at Steppings' and wanted him to keep them till morning. They told him that a man by the name of Bully Stepping had been recommended very highly to them by two of the best lawyers of Campton, Stamper & Sewell. He kept them.

John J. Sewell, who for the past 25 years has been called the logging master has lately sold his ox team and has changed his occupation entirely from logging to house building. He has made a "jumping" contract with Will Shackelford. I do not know the exact words of the contract, but its meaning is this: He is to help said Shackelford build a house 8x10, and is to cover it with boards three feet long; and is to receive for same, on or before the first day of December, a 16 year old Belle of the best quality. John has made one trade he will never regret, for I know the Belle is not old to hurt, and is of the best quality.

March 7th. GOLD BUG.

To be blind or deaf is a terrible affliction, and it pains us to record the fact that there are many in this section in one or both ways. They can't see our appeals to pay or are deaf to them. In either case some of the family should inform them. See date after your name and if in arrears settle up.

MORGAN COUNTY.

Jambs Jangles.

Wm. H. DeBusk spent a few days last week with his parents.

Gracie, the little daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Alex Nickell, is very sick.

Joshua DeBusk has just completed a very nice new wagon for his own use.

G. C. Byrd, near Salem, contemplates the erection of a new modern cottage residence.

Isom Long has moved from near Sellars to a place higher up the creek, and David Cox, from Pike county, is occupying the old homestead vacated by Isom.

F. M. Long has just returned from his home in Hazel Green from a week of heavy business. He says the topic of the day there is nothing but talk about the Spanish war and the new school house. Upon this report a young man called Alvin Oldfield said he was going to join the army, as the prospect for traveling and fighting is good. As Alvin is a model young man, the old folks had better look sharp about their young squaws. Ye scribe presented this sketch to Alvin and he remarked, "I guess the heaviest part of Dick's' business for the past week was in sitting around John Pieratt's stove, chewing 'Out of Sight' tobacco and whittling on scrap leather, as he is the owner of a new Russell Barlow knife. I heard him say John Pieratt's saddle shop was the best loafing place in town."

March 5. NIVLA.

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Rev. J. W. SMITH, Camden, S. C., says: "My wife used Wine of Cardui at home for falling of the womb and it entirely cured her."

On the morning of Feb. 20, 1895, I was sick with rheumatism and lay in bed until May 21st, when I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The first application of it relieved me almost entirely from the pain and the second afforded complete relief. In a short time I was able to be up and about again.—A. T. Moreaux, Laverne, Minn. Sold by J. T. Day, Hazel Green.

MENIFEE COUNTY.

Pomeroyton Paragraphs.

Mrs. G. B. Wills is not expected to live.

Misses Liza and Sally Lyons visited Wm. Sexton Saturday and Sunday.

Marvin Reynolds, of Olympia, is visiting his aunt, Fanny Stacy, near here.

D. S. Trimble was so unfortunate as to have his meathouse burned last week.

Dr. Cope moved to near here last week, and we welcome him to our neighborhood.

Spencer Johnson, of North Middletown, visited O. C. and Frank Lawson the past week.

Mrs. Seth Bailey has been very low for several days, but is said to be improving at this writing.

Shiloh Swango and family left Monday for Indian Territory, where they expect to make their home.

Thornton Henry and Thomas Wills, of Montgomery county, are visiting their sick mother, Mrs. G. B. Wills.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Sunday morning, Dean Hale to Miss Rosa Osborn, Bro. Cox Brown officiating.

George Botts and Miss Nettie Hale were married Sunday evening. The happy couple left for the home of the groom's father, near Mariba.

March 8. SLOCUM.

Everybody has a cold sometime—your turn will come. Keep a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey at hand and be prepared for an emergency. This famous remedy will cure a cold before it gets fairly started or after it has settled. The sooner you take it the sooner you will get well.

THE HERALD.

SPENCER COOPER, : : : : Editor.

HAZEL GREEN, KY.

THURSDAY....March 10, 1898.

THE Goebel bill, viewed from this distance, seems to have been hatched in the interest of Mr. Goebel's candidacy for gubernatorial honors. And, reading between the lines, one is led to conclude that Mr. Enloe has his eye on the United States senatorship. With all the election machinery in their hands to manipulate they could produce some magical effects. Editor Enloe is wonderfully enthusiastic for the bill and goes so far as to excoriate every man opposing it, notwithstanding the fact that dozens of men who take a different view of the bill, are just as good Democrats as he. And why? If it be a fact that he wants to be United States senator that is reason sufficient for the birth of the bill, which he says hatched from a germ in his gray matter. Goebel stood god-father to it and it was baptized in his name, with the understanding between him and its parental progenitor that he should have the governorship as his reward for "raising" it if it reached maturity. And because these leading lights thus play for political power and preferment are others, just as good, true and devoted Democrats, to be damned and then delivered over to the Republicans for the reason that they don't see the bill in that light? For one, we object, and there are others. The Democratic party made The Dispatch. The Dispatch did not make the Democratic party. The bill may be a blessing in disguise but it looks like a Tennessee tramp, judging from the appended photograph, which we reproduce from the Memphis Scimeter, a Democratic newspaper of Tennessee:

A BLUNDER AND A CRIME.

The Kentucky legislature has passed an election bill, which places the election over the State in arbitrary control of commissioners to be appointed by the legislature. It is, in respect of the appointing power, something worse and more undemocratic and more dangerous than the Tennessee election law. When things are done by a legislature the responsibility for the doing is sub-divided and liable to be frittered away. This is peculiarly true of patronage that is dispensed by the legislature. The people have very hard work to fix the responsibility, definitely, for a bad officer, chosen by two assemblages, acting jointly. The people can fix the responsibility for bad selections when they are made by a President, Governor or other single-handed power. In other respects than the appointments the new Kentucky election code is neither better nor worse than the one we have in Tennessee. And we have to say that the party responsible for this Kentucky act will suffer for it some time. Selfish partisanism and mere machine politics, embodied in law, are not thereby sanctified or made better than they are in any other shape. The fact that there are sound principles in this Kentucky statute is only a parallel case to the devil quoting the Holy Scriptures. Good principles odiously enforced, in combination with knavery and reckless tyranny, for the gratification of party greed, no more excuse incendiarism of that kind than the fact that fire is God's gift justifies the burning of a house to "earn the insurance."

The people who have made the Kentucky election machinery have arranged for having themselves and their party put out of power in Kentucky for a season of reflection and repentance.

THE war news this week is of the same general tenor as last week. That the Maine was destroyed by Spanish agents now seems certain, and while the administration will give out no authentic information, the naval and army officers are fitting out, inspecting, fortifying and in every way preparing for war. It is also rumored that the divers working on the Maine wreck were dynamited Monday. War is certain, in our opinion, but the United States government is doing all it can to keep down excitement until she is fully prepared for the emergency.

Probably the largest horse in the state is owned by Dempsey Richard, of Borden. The animal is six years old, 18 hands high and weighs 2,734 pounds. His feet are eight inches in diameter; head 38 inches long: mane 42 inches, and tail 72 ihches long. The horse has never been worked, as no collar large enough to fit him could be found.

Mrs. J. B. Thompson returned from Clay City, and Ralegh Thompson of Magoffin county, is visiting his father.

AN ODE TO THE WARSHIP MAINE.

We mourn thy loss, O, warship Maine,
America's pride upon the sea,
No more thy sails will fill again
With winds that blow so wild and free;
The gallant crew thy decks did pace,
Their hearts were, O, so true and brave
Now lies so still in death's embrace,
Beneath the restless ocean wave.

How proud you looked upon that night,
When anchored near the Cuban shore,
And streaming from the timbers' height
A banner which we all adore;
'Twas treach'rous hands that struck the blow
Against thy side, against thy brave;
'Twas true America's greatest foe
That sank you 'neath the ocean wave.

O, glorious ship! Magnetic Maine,
No more you'll ride the foaming sea;
America's type, without a stain,
That would have fought for you and me,
As long as stars and stripes proclaim
The standard of the true and brave,
We'll not forget our warship Maine
That sank beneath the ocean wave.

SAM WILSON.

THE LAND OF HOUSTON.

B. F. Quicksall Writes Entertainingly of the Lone Star State.

HEWITT, TEXAS, March 3.

Dear Mr. Cooper: After swinging around the circle in the Land of Houston for a few months I have decided to write to you. My supply of pecans is exhausted, but I promise not to be derelict of my duty toward you in future.

We are having fine weather here. I enjoy the warm winter of Texas. This has been a very dry winter and unusually mild. Nearly all farmers in this county are done planting corn.

I would not advise anyone who is pleasantly situated to come here for the purpose of doing better or to find a place where they can make a living easy. That sort of place is yet undiscovered. I do not doubt that many have come here who were in better circumstances before than they have been since. If there are any Kentuckians who are thinking of leaving the "corn cracker" state to swing corners with Texas, the dark eyed queen of the south, they had better count well the cost and consider the landing before they leap. But if a man is "dead set" on going somewhere, he cannot find a country more inviting than this. "Texas is the biggest waffle on the griddle of North America." She is sweetened with the honey of happiness, pouring from the bunghole of prosperity, and buttered with pure Democracy. Texas is as great in every other way as in area. She has and does all things in the superlative degree. The greatest cotton state, greatest cattle state, greatest wool state, greatest pecan state, greatest Democratic state, and many other things, to say nothing of "chile" and "hot tamalies." Besides she has some magnificent colleges and universities and a splendid public school system. Her population is composed of immigrants from all the states and territories, including Canada and all European countries, making the finest population on the globe. The people are intelligent, broad-minded, progressive, patriotic and generous. There is less provincialism than in any other state in the union.

I often think this is surely the land of promise to those who dream of the glory of wealth and splendor of fortune.

To the farmer it is the garden of Eden; to the politician it is pumpkin pie; to the lawyer it is a large slice of the aforesaid and the same; to the doctor it is full of the paths of glory that lead but to the grave; to the merchant it is a klondike; and to the preacher it is "glory hallelujah."

But as the rose turns its bosom to the kisses of the sun, so my heart as naturally turns to my native land. I love Kentucky as do all her sons. I often sigh to be again among the mountains where nature sings her sweetest songs and brawling brooks laugh in the sunshine and dance in the shadows.

I am glad to hear of the progress being made in Eastern Kentucky, in the way of telephone, railroads, etc. Keep up the good work. The mountains need closer connection with the outer world. The people should realize the value of good papers. The HERALD has done more for the mountains than anything else. The people should patronize home industry.

But I must not make this too long. With sincere wishes for the continued success of the HERALD and the health and happiness of yourself and Mrs. Cooper, I am, very truly,

B. F. QUICKSALL.

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Foreign Christian Missionary Society.

Organization.—This Society was organized in Louisville, Ky., October 21, 1875. Its object is to make disciples of all nations, and teach them to observe all things whatsoever Christ has commanded. This Society is incorporated under the laws of the State of Ohio. Its principal place of business is in Cincinnati.

Work.—It carries on work in the following fields: India, Japan, China, Turkey, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, England and Africa. Its agents preach at 63 stations and 40 out-stations. Schools have been opened in India, China, Japan and Turkey. Medical missionaries are at work in the four heathen fields. Great numbers of gospels and of tracts have been sold. The Word of Life has been carried into many homes by the women connected with the missions. The whole number added from the first is 8,731. There are 76 Sunday-schools, with 4,708 pupils in them. In the day-schools there are 1,046 scholars.

Workers.—There are now (January, 1898) 162 missionaries and helpers working in connection with the Society. Of these, 86 are foreigners and 76 are native helpers. Of the foreigners, 50 are men and 36 are women.

Receipts.—The receipts for last year (1896-'97) amounted to $106,222.10. This is a gain of $12,354.39 over the year before. This money came from the following sources: Churches, $39,568.28; Sunday-schools, $30,027.25; Endeavor Societies, $3,353.63; Individuals, $14,293.63; Bequests, $8,588.15; Annuitants, $6,800; Miscellaneous, $3,588.17.

Needs.—The work in all these fields is yet in its infancy. More workers must be sent out, and more buildings must be erected. In China, the new station opened in Lu Cheo fu should be greatly strengthened. A hospital and homes for the missionaries are needed. Some of the workers in Japan need to be housed. More money is needed to buy Bibles and tracts for distribution among the people. Property is needed in Shanghai. Thus far the Society has owned no buildings in that great city. A wise and competent man should be sent to Constantinople to be associated with G. N. Shishmanian. A lady should be sent to assist in the educational work in the same city. A number of young people are willing to go. If the funds are forthcoming, they will be on the field before the present missionary year closes.

The Christian Church in Hazel Green will make the offering for this work on the second Lord's Day in this month. It is earnestly hoped that every member will have a part in this work for the Master. At the same time, the offering for the State Missionary work will be made, and every one should have a part in that part of the Lord's work.

"Blessed is he who soweth beside all waters." WM. H. COZD,

Minister Christian Church.

"Dubs," Says Mr. Murphy.

BUSHTON, ILL., Feb. 28.

Dear Editor: Enclosed find 50 cents, for which please extend my time on THE HERALD; also 50 cents to pay for one copy to A. N. Rose, Fair Grange, Ill., for one year.

This leaves all well except the Republican party. They are badly down in the mouth. Yours truly,

M. A. MURPHY.

Both the Jackson and Gillmore correspondence reached us too late this week.

"Granny" Metcalfe.

"I am 87 years old, and have used about all of the cough and lung remedies that have been sold during my life; and for the benefit of the suffering I will say that I have never used any remedy equal to DR. BELL'S PINE-TAR-HONEY. It gives quick and permanent relief in grippe, as well as other coughs. We keep it in our house all the time, and would not be without it. MRS. M. A. METCALFE, 730 South 6th St., Paducah, Ky.

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LOCAL LISTINGS.

All druggists sell Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters.

John Pieratt planted Irish potatoes on Tuesday.

Miss Biddie Lee is confined to her bed with measles.

Mattie Evans, who has been quite sick, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Lou Coldiron, near town, is quite sick, we understand.

Floyd Day, of Winchester, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Arbury Kash and Breck Little, of Gillmore, were in town Tuesday on business.

Curtis Pieratt is clerking at the Racket store during the illness of his brother, Willie.

Mary Pieratt, the little daughter of H. F. Pieratt and wife, was some better Tuesday.

Rev. Jas. R. Word will preach at Elkins' chapel, on Holly, next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Thomas Lee and wife, who spent the winter in Hazel Green, left Monday for Midland, Texas.

Willie Kash has found a vein of coal on the farm of his mother, Mrs. Nannie Kash, near town.

Willie Pieratt was taken sick Monday evening, and has since been confined to his room. He is threatened with fever.

Fred Day is putting a new picket fence in front of his yard, which greatly improves the appearance of his property.

Grant Nickell attended the Jones Testerman wedding Sunday and was the guest of his brother, Dr. A. C. Nickell, that night.

John B. Davis was quite sick Saturday night and Sunday, but was so far convalesced Tuesday as to engage in a game of checkers.

Our poet and artist has just put a hard oil finish on our proof-press stand, and it looks as bright as dew drops on a trembling spray.

Rev. J. H. Wallin will preach at Gillmore on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and at the Presbyterian church in this place Sunday night at 6:30.

'Squire John Rose was in town Tuesday and said enough to convince us that he is opposed to redistricting the county, which he thinks would increase taxation.

"Our man about town" asked South Coldiron the news Tuesday, and he said he didn't know anything except that Sebe Trimble had recovered from the rheumatism.

Henry Pieratt was on Monday removed from his own residence to the residence of his father. He has not been so well for a week past, and his attending physicians thought the change would be beneficial.

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Correspondents will please bear in mind that it is news we want. Current events in their respective communities, and each news item a separate paragraph. Write on one side of the paper only, be particular to write proper names plainly and confine yourselves to facts. Otherwise we cannot use the matter.

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Every shadow of the earth—
If each one would care for one—
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If each one would care for one—
Only one—
Each one meeting that one's need
Would his own heart's hunger feed;
Happy were the world indeed—
If each one would care for one—
Only one.

—Hezekiah Butterworth.

On Sunday, the 6th inst., A. C. Jones, of Daysboro, and Miss Monrovia Testerman, of Sellers, Morgan county, were married by Rev. Benjamin Blankenship. The groom, who has grown to manhood in our midst, is one of our foremost young men. He is a school teacher by profession, and stands among those at the head of the procession in this section. He possesses all the necessary requisites of a successful business man—honesty, sobriety and industry, in their fullest meaning. And he has indeed won a prize worthy the love of any man. Miss Testerman is a native of our neighboring county, and is the fairest gem among her numerous jewels. A scool teacher, also, Miss Testerman has always stood high in the profession, and by her gentle manners and loving disposition has won the admiration of all with whom she came in contact. The many friends of both congratulate Mr. Jones on winning one of our fairest flowers as a companion down the rough and rugged pathway of life, and Miss Testerman in her choice of one of Morgan's truest and most steadfast sons. THE HERALD wishes them pleasure and prosperity all along life's pathway. And now is the time to subscribe.

The Cincinnati Live Stock Record, of Friday, gives the following as the best prices for that day:

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Floyd Bailey, who has just returned from Magoffin county, says that a vein of cannel coal seven feet thick has been discovered on Barnett creek, in Johnson county. He did not see the coal bank, but saw reliable men who had seen it and saw some of the coal ignited with a match, which he says burns like celuloid, though not so rapidly. Coal is in two layers, with no intervening foreign matter, and comes out in blocks that in polish look like black marble.

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For fear I weary your patience I will close for this time. But I must add, if any of your readers wish to enjoy any of the above things in addition to grand sandstorms, which sometimes fill the air (and your eyes), long dry spells, no mud and pure air, let them come to Coke county, Texas. Respectfully.

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Total of school expenditures	178,215,536
Total of interest of mortgages	79,728,677
Value of potato crop	78,084,901
Value of tobacco crop	85,574,220
Value of cotton crop	259,164,640
Value of oat crop	103,655,068
Value of wheat crop	237,948,608
Salaries of all school teachers	139,280,078
Value of all church property	679,650,139
Total military expenses	52,947,675
Value of all minerals	218,168,788
Value of hogs	186,529,745
Value of gold	86,610,000
Value of silver	72,510,000
Value of wool	58,146,599
Value of sheep	68,167,725
Value of milch cows	367,953,345

In one year the hens of the country will buy all the minerals produced in a single year, and will pay in addition, every cent of the interest on farm mortgages. The American hired man, taken as an individual, may be a man of small consequence; yet the 3,454,675 farm laborers in the country earned last year in cash, board not included, $392,740,664. The fact is that the hens and the hired men taken together, in two years earnings, would buy all the church property and have enough left to pay all pensions and all our public school teachers. The same sum would pay operating expenses for all American railroads for one year, and also pay the wages of all the clothing makers, all the iron workers, all the cotton mill hands, and all the carpenters in the land. One bushel of wheat, costing 90 cents, will feed a hen 300 days. If she lays 100 eggs, worth two cents each, she will increase the value of the wheat to $2, which is enough to haul one ton of freight 250 miles or to haul one passenger 50 miles. After she has done all this she will return 25 cents worth of the fertilizing value of the wheat to the soil for another crop.

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